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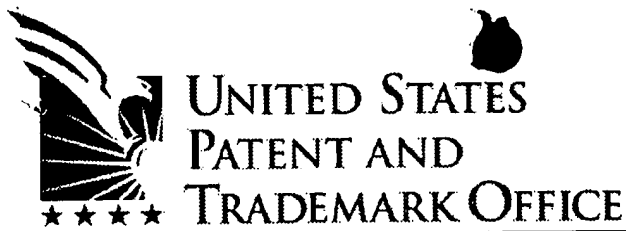
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LETTER RESCINDING NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT

A Notice of Abandonment, Form PTO-1432, was mailed on December 21, 2001 in patent application Serial Number 09/576,499. The Notice of Abandonment alleged that applicant failed to file a response to the Office letter dated May 21, 2001.

A timely response to the Office letter in question, received February 11, 2002, having a certificate of mailing dated November 21, 2001 and including a three months extension, has now been received in the Technology Center. Accordingly, the Notice of Abandonment is hereby RESCINDED.

Any inconvenience occasioned by the delay in associating the response with the application file is regretted.

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